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Attorney Docket No.

First Inventor or Application Identifier

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Title

A Method of and System for Analyzing, Modeling, and Valuing Elements of a Business Enterprise

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2.  Specification [Total Pages ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
3.  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets ]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages ]
  - a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b.  Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
    - i.  DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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5.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
  - a.  Computer Readable Copy
  - b.  Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
  - c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

7.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
8.  37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement  Power of (when there is an assignee)  Attorney
9.  English Translation Document (if applicable)
10.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations
11.  Preliminary Amendment
12.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
13.  Small Entity Statement(s)  Statement filed in prior application, (PTO/SB/09-12) Status still proper and desired
14.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
15.  Other: **Specification drawings  
and fee were submitted  
12/10/97 under 37 CFR 1.62**

18. If a CONTINUATING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:

Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: **08 779,109**  
Prior application information: Examiner **William Hughet** Group / Art Unit: **2811**

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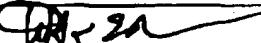
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4.  A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27  
 is enclosed.  
 was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 CFR 1.28(a)).

5.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ (A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.)

6.  A check in the amount of \$ 771.00 is enclosed.

7.  A new oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 is included since this application is a continuation-in-part which discloses and claims additional matter.

8.  Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application is a  continuation-in-part,  continuation,  division, of application number \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, now abandoned.

9.  Priority of foreign application number \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ (country) \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).

10.  The prior application is assigned of record to \_\_\_\_\_

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Assignee of complete interest. Certification under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed.

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